

2.4.10 HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

- A. The consultant's work product shall not require or suggest the use of hazardous materials or products containing hazardous materials. If hazardous material cannot be avoided, i.e., there is no substitute product, then the product must be identified as containing hazardous material and the State must be notified of that fact in writing.

All products and systems supplied to the State as a result of a purchase by D.P.W. will be certified that, to the best of the supplier's knowledge, there are no materials that are classified as hazardous materials being used within the assembly. Hazardous materials include, but are not limited to, products such as asbestos, lead and other materials that have proven to cause a health risk or are defined as hazardous under any state, federal, or local law, rule or regulation affecting health and human safety or the environment.

- B. If there is any indication that an area of the building might have asbestos containing materials, the DPW has a procedure to aid the project during construction with term contractors who will be made available. The process is to request a "Hazardous Material Inspection" through the DPW Technical Services Unit. The [Hazardous Material Inspection Request](#) (DPW form # 010F) can be used by either DPW or an Agency to request asbestos removal, Lead testing, or Indoor or Outdoor Air Quality through the DPW Technical Services Unit.
- C. Within the Contract Document Manual (plans and specs prepared by the Consultant) there shall be requirements that mandate any hazardous materials be removed or isolated in accordance with State procedures. Reference Division 1 "Alteration Project Procedures" Section 01120. This would include Asbestos Containing Material, Lead, products Containing Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxic Chemicals" (PBT's) such as Polychlorinated Biphenols (PCB's), Di-2-ethylhexyl Phthalate (DEHP), and Mercury: Furthermore, prior to bidding - any renovation of an existing structure should have a Report prepared and included in the contract documents informing all persons electing to do work with the State, so they are aware of the presence of different hazardous materials and to take standard industry care of the matter.
- D. The one exception where DPW does not remove asbestos is on roof projects. DPW require that consultants add a specification that is available through your DPW PM for the Removal of Asbestos-Containing Roofing Material and is designated section 07080 [Asbestos Removal Roof](#). This section is available in an electronic version with both printable notes and non-printable notes. Check with your DPW Project Manager for the latest version of the specification or it will be available on the DPW web site.